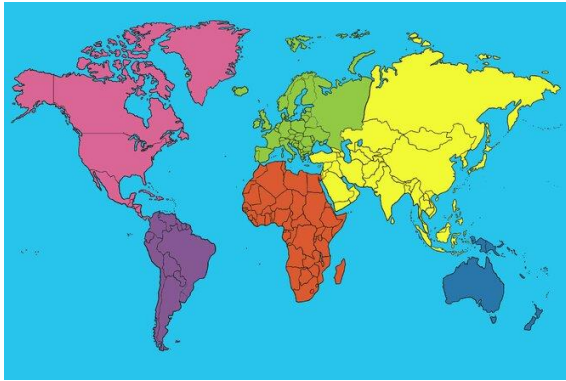


Around the world

Year 6 Knowledge Organiser



Key facts
-The world is made up of seven different continents. These are: Africa, Asia, Europe, North America, South America, Australia and Antarctica.
-There are 195 countries across the world.
-Mali is the hottest country with an average temperature of 28.83 degrees Celsius.
-The continent of Antarctica is the coldest in the world with Canada being the coldest country.

Key vocabulary	
Continent	A large landmass made up of many countries.
Climate	The usual or average weather conditions over a long period of time.
Human	Geography affected by human activity.
Physical	Geography dealing with natural features.
Native	A species that originated from a particular region, country or continent.
Capital city	A major city where the country's government is located.
Scandinavia	A region in Northern Europe made up of Denmark, Norway and Sweden (sometimes including Finland and Iceland).

Capital cities

A capital city is a major city in a country and it is usually where the countries government is located.



Paris – The capital city of France in Europe.



Ottawa – The capital city of Canada in North America



Rio de Janeiro – The capital city of Brazil in South America.



Canberra – The capital city of Australia.

Animals around the world

There are 8.7 Million animal species living on earth. Many of these species are native to different continents.



The Lion – Native to Africa.



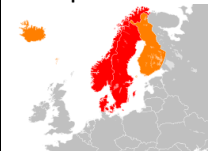
The Red Squirrel – Native to Europe.



The Sloth – Native to South America.

Scandinavia

Scandinavia, which is where The Snow Queen is set, is made up of the countries: Denmark, Norway, Sweden and it sometimes includes Finland and Iceland. It is located in Northern Europe and has a cooler climate than the UK.



Human and Physical geography features around the world

Mount Etna (physical)



Europe's most active volcano located in Italy. It has been erupting constantly since the 16th February 2021.

The Great Wall of China (human)



An ancient series of walls and fortifications totalling more than 13,000 miles in length. It is located in Northern China.

Niagara Falls (physical)



Located in Ontario, Canada, Niagara Falls is a group of three waterfalls at the southern end of Niagara Gorge.

The Golden Gate Bridge (human)



A suspension bridge that is one mile wide. It is located in San Francisco USA.